

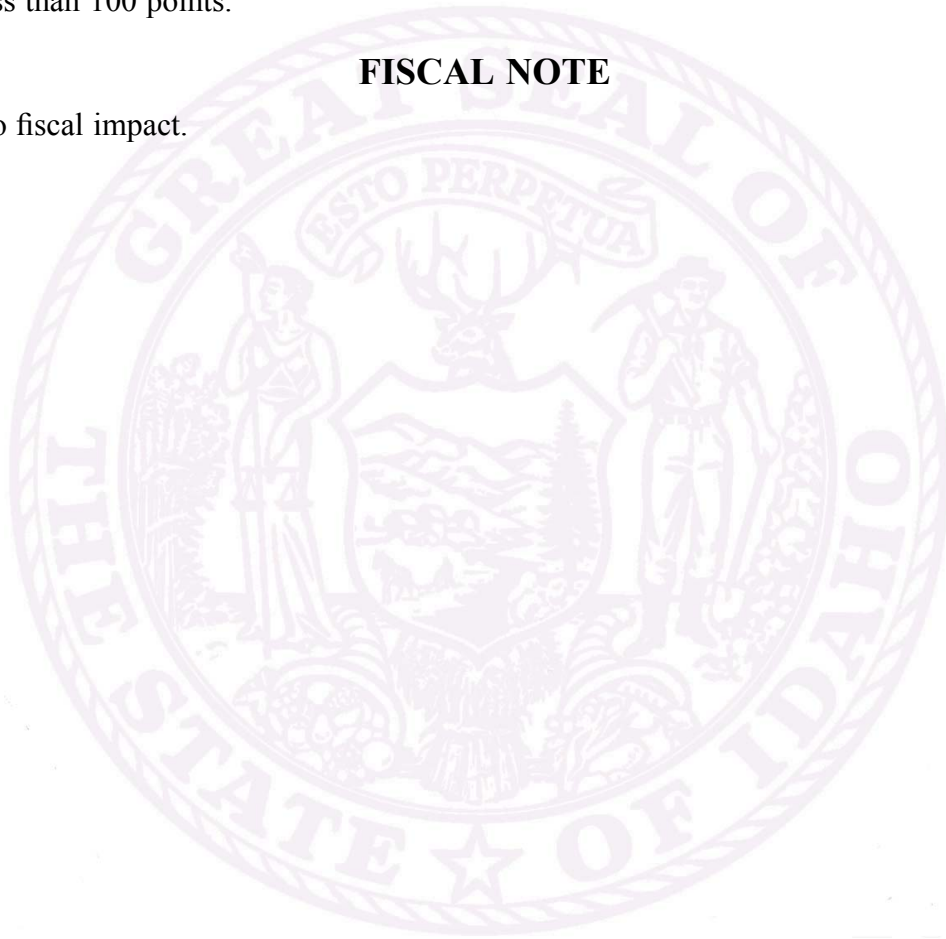
STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS22367

This legislation is to provide clarity for the application of veterans' preference points added to the passing score of an examination for veterans applying for classified positions. Preference for veterans is given by awarding 5 points (for veterans who have been discharged or released under honorable conditions and have served on active duty a minimum of 180 consecutive days) or 10 points (for disabled veterans who separated under honorable conditions and have served on active duty in the armed forces and have a current service-connected disability of ten percent (10%) or more or are receiving compensation related to a service-connected disability) to the final passing exam score. The term "percentage" before points creates a lower outcome if the total possible exam score is less than 100 points.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact.



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